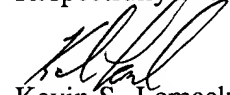


<sup>18</sup>~~19~~. The method of claim 17, further comprising forming a substantially non-compactable layer comprising sand and resilient material over said geotextile membrane.

<sup>19</sup>~~20~~. The method of claim <sup>18</sup>~~19~~, further comprising providing water drainage by burying a plurality of perforated interconnected pipes below said pile fabric.

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